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Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pills.

New Creamery and Ice Factory.

Acadia Valley and the territory surrounding it, within a radius of several miles, is being vastly benefited by the establishment of the Acadia Valley Creamery and Ice Co.'s plant, which is now in successful operation at Acadia. For many weeks our prominent citizens and farmers have been striving to establish this industry on successful lines, and their efforts have met with unqualified success.

The dairy industry can never be successfully conducted without the aid of an up-to-date creamery capable of producing the finest Elgin fancy creamery butter, which brings the top price in every market, and pays the farmers from two to three times as much for his butter fat than if he made the butter himself. Everybody knows that every farmer's wife works hard over the churning and washing and care of the dairy; and everyone knows that the results of her efforts have been meager indeed, compared with the amount of labor; and after she has produced a good article of farm butter she cannot realize one-half for the same as the price of Elgin creamery butter. The Acadia Creamery and Ice Co. have solved the problem for her by installing a plant to take the cream or milk and make it up into butter for her and sell it at the top price of the Elgin butter prices, and to pay it all to her, less three cents per pound for manufacturing the same for her.

All that the farmer has to do is to set his milk or cream out on the main road, where the company's return wagon picks it up and returns to him the skim milk for feed to calves and hogs. Any farmer patronizing the factory can make \$4 to \$6 per month on each cow's milk, and the company pays for the same on the first of each month. Thus the farmer may at last produce a cash product for which he can get cash money monthly. Experts have pronounced the Acadia Valley to be particularly adapted to the dairy industry, being surrounded with fine grazing sections and running streams, and many of the farmers have sold springs to enable them to properly care for the milk. The company have established four routes at this issue, and the haulers will commence to bring in the milk this week. More are to be established.

All should endeavor to extend a helping hand and a warm welcome to enable the officers of the company to extend the influence of the industry into our farming sections, as it is contemplated establishing skimming stations in the outlying districts and to expand the work largely.

The artificial ice plant is installed on the can system, which entirely debars the introduction of ammonia fumes into the ice, as has been so often noticed in the old system of plate ice. The ice manufactured by the company is from water which has been produced from condensed steam, thereby purifying it so that any physician will pronounce it devoid of germs or bacteria. Many cases of typhoid malaria and other fever ailments have been traced to the use of creek ice, especially in infants, who are more susceptible to germ diseases than adults. Mr. George Johnson is handling the company's pure ice in the Acadia Valley. The plant has a telephone (just installed) No. 134, so that orders may be sent by phone.

The company is doing a fine business already, and the outlook for the future is bright. The consensus of opinion is that it should be a permanent success under the management of the officers and board of directors, elected as follows: Louis Miller, president; August Schwab, vice-president; Love Carty, secretary; Wm. Gay, treasurer; C. R. Russell, general manager; Wm. Fletcher, C. O. Coddling.

The Chicago Building and Manufacturing Company, of Chicago, installed this plant, and it is up to date and first-class in every respect.

A Positive Necessity.

Having to lay upon my bed for 14 days from a severely bruised leg, I only found relief when I used a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I can cheerfully recommend it as the best medicine for bruises ever sent to the afflicted. It has now become a positive necessity upon myself. D. R. Byrnes, merchant, Doversville, Texas. 25c, 50c, \$1, at Acadia Valley Drug Co.

Remember we have a very large stock of stoneware, queensware, glassware, fruit jars in glass and stone, jelly glasses in plain and fancy. H. Barnhouse, south of court house, Ironton, Mo. Phone No. 41.

Now on hand a complete stock of Swift & Co.'s Spring Fertilizers at prices as reasonable as those asked by others for inferior grade. Ironton Flour Mills, Ironton, Mo.

A Visit to Acadia.

From the Batesville (Ark.) Guard.

On Saturday morning, March 22d, my grandmother and I left on the local for a visit to Acadia, Mo., in the Acadia Valley. While there we attended the Southern Methodist church, built upon the ground where the soldiers of the Federal army were encamped during the Civil War, and where a battle of twenty minutes was fought. The trenches and magazine are still visible, and the church is called "Fort Hill." It is properly named, as it stands above almost everything in the valley and can be seen miles away.

We then visited Emerson Park, located at the foot of Shepherd Mountain, and admired the beauties of the Sylvan lake, beautiful walks and forest trees. In this park stands the majestic oak under which U. S. Grant received his commission as General. We drank from the spring under this tree called the "Grant Spring." We saw the cannon that were captured by the Confederates at Shiloh and were recaptured by the Federals at Vicksburg. A bronze statue of a Federal soldier stands guard at this park.

Next we visited Pilot Knob battlefield and old fort, which is still kept in good repair, and where the old soldiers of both sides have their annual reunion. At Pilot Knob there was a day and a half hard battle fought, where nearly 1200 Southern soldiers lost their lives; but the battle was decidedly in favor of the South, as the Union army became desperately frightened and vacated the entire valley. The last place of interest we visited was a place known as the shut-ins, which is a deep gorge, affording the only outlet for the water of the entire valley of about two by six miles. Of course, through this the water pours with terrific fury.

ROBERTA WATKINS.

Whooping Cough.

The quick relief afforded by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in cases of whooping cough, makes it a favorite with the mothers of small children. It liquefies the tough mucus, making it easier to expectorate, keeps the cough loose and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. This remedy has been used in many epidemics of whooping cough and always with perfect success. There is no danger whatever from the disease when it is freely given. It contains nothing injurious and may be given as confidently to a baby as an adult. For sale by Acadia Valley Drug Co.

Des Are Items.

The Holiness meeting closed here Sunday night with additions to the Holiness faith. They also baptized ten Sunday evening. A large crowd witnessed the ceremony. Among those present from the country were: Messrs. W. Hay and family, Duke White and family, D. White and family, W. Kemper and family, Jno. Smith and family and L. L. Smith and family.

There were two marriages Sunday near here. John Patrick and Miss Deschany, and Ben Pointer and Miss King, daughter of Rev. Sam King.

Dr. Toney was called to Des Arc Friday to see Chas. Hickman, who has been very sick. Joe and Ed. Hickman were called home to see their sick parent.

E. W. Graves and wife left here Saturday for Hot Springs. Mr. Graves is suffering with stomach trouble and heart disease. Jas. Pate and wife while at church one night last week, had several articles stolen from their house, including Mrs. P.'s watch. On Saturday night some one went into Mrs. Kendrick's house, broke up everything the poor widow had and cut her feather bed and pillows open. She was also at church.

Jas. Lovelace and wife spent Sunday here.

Wm. Magill and wife are visiting John Stevenson and family. Ed. Lewis is up from Hendrickson.

John Young, of Piedmont, was up and went out to his farm. He has one of the best stock farms in the county.

I drove through to Mill Spring last week, and on my way I stayed all night at Piedmont. This town has improved very much in the last twelve months. Any one passing on the train cannot see half the town. There is a population of at least fifteen hundred people. Nine general stores, two drug stores, eight restaurants, two hotels, three "blind tigers," one saw mill, one flour mill, hub factory, two wagon factories, five churches and a large school building. They are also putting up a soft water tank for the railroad. I also met my old friend, Wash Creath, who owns the Commercial Hotel—the best hotel in Southeast Missouri. He is getting quite tottery and feeble. I remember some years ago looking at some deeds at the home of Judge Jas. Davis and noticed one signed by Wash Creath July, 1848. I understand he was county clerk for twenty years. I also stopped a while at Leeper. They are doing quite a business there; I saw fifteen car loads of yellow pine lumber come in from Ellington, and it was being put in stacks in order to dress it. They have let out the contract to Ike Chilton to

cut all the logs that are sunk and left in the pond, which will amount to a million feet.

Mill Spring is also improving. There are some nice buildings there. They have three stores doing a nice business. O'Neal & Chilton have a fine trade as they supply six saw mills. There is a new saw mill going up at Otter Creek, near there.

The Woodmen will give a box supper at their hall Friday night, May 12th, the proceeds to go for the benefit of the hall.

Was sorry to hear of the death of Gen. Fitz Lee. I served under him from the time he was colonel until he was made major-general. I saw him last September—Virginia Day at the fair—and took his hand for the last time. It was a sad time with the Confederate soldiers. We all will soon have to answer to the last roll call. May we live right, and some sweet day God will call us home. ISAAC.

Growing Aches and Pains.

Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bremond, Texas, writes, April 15, 1902: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for three years. I would not be without it in the house. I have used it on my little girl for growing pains and aches in her knees. It cured her right away. I have also used it for frost bitten feet, with good success. It is the best liniment I ever used." 25c, 50c, \$1.00, at Acadia Valley Drug Co.

Sabula Items.

We are having nice weather and all the farmers are about done planting corn.

A Mast inspected a car load of lumber here for H. I. Ruth last week.

We are going to have an ice cream social Saturday night, May 13th, for the purpose of getting an organ for the Sunday school. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Ada McKinney passed through here last week, on her way to Reynolds county to visit her father, who is very ill at this writing.

Miss Missouri Collins is on the sick list, but we are glad to say is mending rapidly.

Quite a crowd of young folks spent a very pleasant evening fishing last week.

Miss Edie Collins went to De Soto Tuesday.

Owing to the rivers being up, we haven't had any mail from Reynolds county for several days.

Quite a crowd of young folks spent a very pleasant evening at Mr. H. B. Counts Saturday.

SNOWFLAKE.

Watch for It.

It will pay you to watch for the very first symptom of indigestion or liver trouble and to prevent the trouble from gaining headway, by quickly taking Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. Nothing is more weakening to the system than chronic dyspepsia, and all its complications. Nothing will cure it so quickly, pleasantly and surely as Syrup Pepsin. Sold by Acadia Valley Drug Co., at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

County Court Proceedings.

MONDAY, MAY 1, 1905.

W. H. Buford, member board of equalization, \$9.

Marion Lewis, same, \$9.

W. C. Johnson, same, \$9.

James Lewis, same, \$9.

W. T. O'Neal, same, \$9.

W. H. Buford, member court of appeals, \$6.

Marion Lewis, same, \$6.

W. C. Johnson, same, \$6.

James Lewis, same, \$6.

W. T. O'Neal, same, \$6.

C. P. Darnold, prosecuting attorney's salary, \$100.

J. N. Lewis, county treasurer's salary, \$125.

Chas. Crocker, road overseer dist. No. 10, \$10.98.

Following road overseers filed final settlements: Chas. Crocker, district No. 15; W. M. Latham, district No. 15; J. E. Miller, district No. 16; Peter Sumpter, district No. 17; Robinson Lewis, district No. 5; Skip Lewis, district No. 4; Jacob Pinkley, district No. 6; P. F. Thompson, district No. 13.

Appropriation of \$11.25 to district No. 15.

Appropriation of \$21.15 to district No. 16.

Appropriation of \$23.76 to district No. 17.

Bond of Skip Lewis, road overseer dist. No. 4, approved: same.

Robinson Lewis district No. 5.

Appropriation \$16.37 to district No. 5; same, \$2.84 district No. 4.

Iron County Bank selected as depository of county funds, said bank agreeing to pay two per cent per annum on daily balances, and to cash all checks for county treasurer free of charge for exchange, and to furnish said treasurer St. Louis exchange free of charge.

TUESDAY, MAY 2.

W. C. Johnson, viewing road, \$2.

Chas. Clifton, road overseer district No. 1, filed final settlement, which was approved. Appropriation of \$1.94 to said district.

F. M. Anderson, keeping paupers, \$153.28; same, keeping insane paupers, \$150.00; same, wood for county farm, \$16; same, medicine for paupers, \$50; same, merchandise for poor farm, \$7; same, work and repairs on farm, \$76.29.

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At B. N. Brown's.

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NECKWEAR— All the Latest Shades in Men's Easter Neckwear.	Exquisite Mill- inery; an unrivaled showing of style and beauty at un- heard of prices.	HANDKERCHIEFS A Choice Lot; Bought cheap; let up while they last.

Laces & Embroidery Ribbons

Just a touch of filmy lace for that charming new Easter gown! We have just what you need.

Notions

A good line of Dressing Combs, Hair Brushes, Soaps, Perfumes, Talcum Powders, Face Powders and all Toilet Articles for ladies, gentlemen and babies.

An offer of special importance to those needing Easter girdles, sashes, hair ribbons or neck ribbons, 4 in., all silk lace ribbon, 10c yd.

Fine Taffeta ribbons, 4c, 5c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 20c and 25c yard.

We have the correct shades and colors at a price which will make you wonder.

Stationery

Just what you want!

Shoes

Splendid line of Shoes, suitable for everybody and for every purpose, at a price to please every one.

Corsets

American Beauty Corset \$1.00.

Ladies' and Misses' Best Corset with Hose Supporters, 49c.

Girdles, latest styles, 25c, 49c, 50c, 59c.

A Word! The place to buy Clothing, Underwear, Etc., is here.

B. N. Brown,

(Successor to Mullin & Brown.)

Ironton,

Missouri.

John Seals, overseer district No. 2, filed final settlement; approved. Appropriation \$2.52 to said district. Bond of John Seal, road overseer, approved.

Dr. G. W. Farrar, Sr., medical attendance on poor, \$24.23.

John Russell, district No. 11, final settlement filed and approved. Appropriation \$85.86 to said dist.

R. J. Hall, overseer district No. 7, final settlement filed and approved. Appropriation \$3 to said district.

Dramshop license granted to Geo. Schultz.

L. L. Sims, overseer district No. 12, final settlement filed and approved.

John W. Polk, fixing pump, \$2; same, pine for court house, \$2; work done at court house, \$7.50; wood cut for court house and jail, \$9.55; for summoning petit jurors, \$8.40; waiting on circuit court and deputy hire, \$30.

J. T. Baldwin & Sons, court house and jail supplies, \$11.70; supplies for poor farm, \$12.25.

Chas. F. Hanson, blacksmith work, \$3.05.

Dr. L. A. Marshall, medical attendance on poor, \$2.

Geo. D. Barnard & Co., stationery, \$10.25.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 3.

Bond of Iron County Bank as county depository filed, examined and approved by the court.

C. E. Shular, overseer district No. 7, final settlement filed and approved.

Road overseer bond of C. E. Shular, district No. 7, approved.

Thos. Hill, overseer district No. 9, final settlement filed and approved. Appropriation \$5.30 to said district.

J. N. Lewis allowed \$24.32, fee bill State vs. Carroll Trammel.

County tax for year 1905, fixed at 40 cents on the hundred dollars.

Road tax for 1905 fixed at 10 cents on the hundred dollars.

Financial statement for year ending January 31, 1905, approved and ordered printed.

Bond of Thos. Hill, road overseer district No. 9, approved.

THURSDAY, MAY 4.

Dramshop license granted to Val Ellinger.

Court examined school bonds.

Whitworth Sons, goods for poor, \$45; court house and jail expenditures, \$5.45; tools for road, \$3.95; supplies for county farm, \$69.45.

Eli D. Ake, stationery and printing, \$82.70.

Peter Ivester, overseer district No. 3, final settlement filed and approved. Appropriation of \$15.11 to said district.

Appropriation of \$1 to district No. 8.

W. H. Buford, viewing road, \$2.

John Crowley, ticket for poor to Ironton, 85c.

J. N. Lewis, disbursing school money, \$5.28.

FRIDAY, MAY 5.

Mose Thomas, road overseer district No. 11, filed final settlement. Same continued to May 29th.

James Dixon, overseer district No. 8, filed final settlement. Same continued to May 29th.

It is ordered by the court that two car loads of tiling be purchased to be used on the roads of Iron county; one car to be shipped to Middlebrook and one to Annapolis.

W. T. O'Neal, county clerk's fees, \$139.49.

SATURDAY, MAY 6.

Petition for location or change of public road in Dent township read and laid over till next regular term of the court.

Dramshop bond of A. Roehry approved.

Abstract of fees of circuit clerk examined and approved.

J. M. Hawkins, circuit clerk's fees, \$10.55.

American Screen Door Co., wood for court house, 75c.

Worrell Mfg Co., exterminator and disinfectant, \$25.

John W. Polk, delivering poll books for general election, \$12.50.

W. H. Buford, county judge, \$31; Marion Lewis, same, \$32.20; W. C. Johnson, same, \$30.50.

John W. Polk, waiting on county court, \$12.

School fund mortgage of W. L. Scoggin ordered cancelled.

School fund mortgage of James Hodges ordered cancelled.

G. G. Henderson, rig to county farm, \$1.

J. N. Lewis, stenographer's fees paid, \$38.20.

Court adjourned to May 29th.

Cleaned Out.

When a deep cellar becomes filled with heavy, poisonous air, it is never safe to go into it until it has been cleaned out. When your body has been poisoned with the foul residues of undigested food, it is just as necessary to clean it out. To do this pleasantly and safely take Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It is a pure, scientific preparation which has no equal in the cure of constipation, headache, biliousness and stomach trouble. Sold by Acadia Valley Drug Co., at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

Dairy men say Creamo is a superior feed for milch cows. Ironton Mfg. Co., agents.

You Can Prevent Sick-Headaches

when you feel it first coming on, by taking a Ramon's Pill at once. It removes the poison that causes the trouble. A guaranteed cure, and money refunded if not satisfied. 25 cents.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—A lot of surreys, buggies, jump seats and harness. Will sell for good note or trade for any kind of stock. Call at once. H. M. COLLINS.